

BANK STATEMENT MARKET FEATURE

Considerable Loan Expansion of \$7,205,500 Occasioned Some Surprise to Dealers.

CLOSING TONE IRREGULAR Many Rumors of Large Gold Engagements for Export Excite Interest.

(By Associated Press.) NEW YORK, April 7.—To-day's bank statement showed the cash reserve of the clearing house banks to be \$2,560,825 below the legal requirements.

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NEW YORK, April 7.—Money on call, nominal; no loans. Time loans firm; 60 days and 90 days, 5 1/2 per cent; six months, 5 3/4.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The cotton market opened firm at advance of 8 1/2 points in response to higher Liverpool cables.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The market for foreign exchange was quiet, with rates for London, 4 1/2 per cent; for Paris, 4 1/2 per cent.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The market for gold was quiet, with prices for gold bars, \$193.50 per ounce.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The market for silver was quiet, with prices for silver bars, \$1.25 per ounce.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The market for bonds was quiet, with prices for U.S. bonds, 100 per cent.

OFFICIAL RANGE AND SALE OF STOCKS IN NEW YORK

By Thomas Branch & Co., Bankers and Brokers.

Table with columns: SALES, Bid. Asked, Bid. Asked, Bid. Asked, Bid. Asked. Lists various stocks like Atlantic Coast Line, American Cotton Oil, etc.

CLOSING BOND QUOTATIONS

Table with columns: U. S. refunding 2s, U. S. refunding 3s, U. S. 4s, U. S. 5s, etc.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—Flour—Dull and unchanged. Minneapolis patents, \$4.00 per barrel.

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NEW YORK COTTON MARKET

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NEW YORK WHEAT MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—The wheat market was strong to-day, and despite favorable weather.

NEW YORK RICE MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—The rice market was quiet, with prices for rice, \$1.00 per bushel.

NEW YORK SUGAR MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—The sugar market was quiet, with prices for sugar, \$10.00 per ton.

NEW YORK OIL MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—The oil market was quiet, with prices for oil, \$1.00 per barrel.

NEW YORK BEEF MARKET

NEW YORK, April 7.—The beef market was quiet, with prices for beef, \$1.00 per pound.

FINANCIAL

W. M. HABLSTON, President. W. M. ADDISON, Cashier. O. S. MORTON, Assistant Cashier. NATIONAL BANK OF VIRGINIA, UNITED STATES, STATE AND CITY DEPOSITORY.

Danville Tobacco Market

As was anticipated after a long spell of wet weather, we have had very heavy receipts this week.

South Boston Tobacco Market

Two hundred thousand pounds of tobacco were sold on the South Boston market last Friday.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS

PETERSBURG, VA., April 7.—PEANUTS—Firm at 18 1/2 per bushel. Spanish-Market firm at 18 1/2 per bushel.

NAVAL STORES

WILMINGTON, DE., April 7.—SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Nothing doing. Rosin—Steady at 85 per barrel.

Leaf Tobacco Market

Stonewall Warehouse (W. D. Butler and Company) had splendid breaks of leaf tobacco.

Rubber

The recent agreement between Brazil and Bolivia provides for the construction of a railway to open up acre with 50,000 square miles of what are believed to be valuable rubber lands.

TOBACCO MARKETS

Richmond, Va., April 7, 1906. Tobacco—Dark—Firm—Receipts light and market firm at price quoted.

THE OLD STORY

Before his elevation to the archbishopric of York, the late Percy Manning, bishop of Peterborough, whose most conspicuous feature was a red nose, that his physicians attributed to chronic indigestion.

GLIDING A REPUTATION

One day last week a bookkeeper, who was taking a new position under consideration, was visited by his employer-to-be.

AN IMPIOUS NEIGHBORHOOD

A minister tells this tale: "I once had in my Sunday school a young urchin from a poor neighborhood. He did his best to bring recruits, and one afternoon I said to him: 'Billy, don't you think you could induce one or two other boys to come to Sunday school?'"

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